

Table C-70. Federal obligations for basic research performed at universities and colleges in engineering, by selected agency and detailed field of engineering: fiscal year 2000

[Dollars in thousands]

Agency and subdivision	Total	Aero- nautical	Astro- nautical	Chemical	Civil	Elec- trical	Mechan- ical	Metal- lurgy and materials	Engi- neering, n.e.c.
Total, all agencies	834,017	38,488	12,413	44,329	36,242	125,148	63,496	233,855	280,046
Departments:									
Department of Agriculture, total	4,986	0	0	201	38	22	27	0	4,698
Agricultural Research Service	243	0	0	121	38	22	27	0	35
Cooperative State Research, Education, & Extension Service	4,663	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,663
Forest Service	80	0	0	80	0	0	0	0	0
Department of Defense, total	265,964	14,134	11,137	7,271	4,023	86,411	42,237	76,661	24,090
Defense Agencies, total	147,242	3,190	1,006	5,875	804	55,351	22,727	43,690	14,599
Defense Adv Rsch Projects Agcy	21,895	0	0	677	0	1,540	0	5,079	14,599
Washington Headquarters Svcs	125,347	3,190	1,006	5,198	804	53,811	22,727	38,611	0
Department of the Air Force	38,102	8,760	10,131	0	0	4,023	330	14,740	118
Department of the Army	31,835	789	0	1,396	3,219	9,616	9,884	6,931	0
Department of the Navy	48,785	1,395	0	0	0	17,421	9,296	11,300	9,373
Department of Energy	22,464	0	0	0	0	0	8,629	13,835	0
Dept of Health & Human Svcs, total	122,073	0	0	0	0	0	0	16,526	105,547
National Institutes of Health ¹	122,073	0	0	0	0	0	0	16,526	105,547
Other agencies:									
National Aeronautics & Space Admin ²	64,873	24,354	1,276	1,847	0	3,049	7,110	9,067	18,170
National Science Foundation	353,657	0	0	35,010	32,181	35,666	5,493	117,766	127,541

¹ Beginning in the fiscal year 2000, the National Institutes of Health classified all of its development activities as research.

² Beginning in fiscal year 2000, the National Aeronautics & Space Administration reclassified Space Station as a physical asset and Space Station Research as equipment, and transferred funding for the program from R&D to R&D plant.

KEY: n.e.c. = Not elsewhere classified

NOTES: Only the following six agencies are required to report to this section of the survey: the Departments of Agriculture, Defense, Energy, and Health and Human Services; the National Aeronautics and Space Administration; and the National Science Foundation. The basic research obligations of the six agencies included in this table represent approximately 99 percent of total Federal basic research obligations to universities and colleges in fiscal year 2000.

Data for only those agencies and sub-divisions that had obligations in the variables represented by this table appear in the table. For a complete list of the Federal agencies that have been included in the Federal funds survey, refer to appendix A. For additional notes associated with the agencies listed in this table, refer to appendix B.

SOURCE: National Science Foundation/Division of Science Resources Statistics, Survey of Federal Funds for Research and Development: Fiscal Years 2000, 2001, and 2002